

## IDENTIFICATION OF A NOVEL ENDOTHELIAL-DERIVED GENE EG-1

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

[0248] This invention provides a novel gene whose expression is upregulated during angiogenesis and/or tumorigenesis. Designated herein as EG-1, the gene provides a good  
5 target for modulators of angiogenesis and/or tumorigenesis. In addition, methods of inhibiting EG-1 and thereby inhibiting angiogenesis and metastasis are provided.

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